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1. Information Disclosure Statement (1 page);
2. Form PTO-1449 (1 page);
3. International Search Report (5 pages);
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